# THE CITY COUNCIL

Business of Importance Transacted at a Meeting Not Altogether Harmonious.

The Auditing Committee Allowed a Clerk for the Ensuing Year at a Salary of \$50 a Month-Office of City Detective.

The council met last evening in called session, Mayor Fuller in the chair. Present, Messrs. Lissner, Worth, Adkinson, Simons, Loeb. Kirkendall, Harrison, Donnelly, Clewell, Morris and Featherly.

A petition from the youths of Helena asking permission to coast on Lawrence street was read and the prayer of the petitioners granted.

Alderman Loeb offered a resolution to the effect that a committee of three be appointed to see that a proper water pressure | H. O. Collins. was kept for fire, the committee to act in conjunction with the superintendent of

The resolution was so amended as to take in the fire marshal instead of the sewer engineer, and Aldermen Loeb, Klein and Simons were appointed as such com-

The finance committee, to whom was re-ferred the petitions of the Thomas Cruse Savings bank and Sands Bros. for a rebate of license, recommended that the rebate prayed for be granted, except that Sands Bros. petition be reduced one-half. The report was adopted.

A petition from citizens asking that street crossings be laid on Helena avenue and Main street was read and granted. A resolution introduced by Alderman Loeb and pending some time, condemning certain property on Eighth avenue for city purposes-widening a street-was read and

Alderman Worth stated that insurance on city property had expired and asked that the council take some action in re-gard to the matter. On motion it was re-ferred to the committee on public build-

An ordinance transferring moneys from the special to the general fund was read and adopted.

and adopted.

The special committee to whom was referred the matter of the question of ownership of an alley on Edwards street, claimed by High Daly, recommended that the report of the engineer be adopted. The report was adopted. An ordinance appropriating \$3,445.40 to the Helena Water company for water for September, October and November was

ton carries for bids.

An ordinance creating the office of city detective, at a salary of \$1,500 a year, was adopted. This ordinance was made necessary by the expiration of the old ordinance,

sary by the expiration of the old ordinance, which expired Jan. 1.

An ordinance providing for sewer connections to be done under the supervision of the superintendent of sewers was read and referred to a special committee, including the city clerk, to report at the next meeting. Aldermen Morris, Worth, Harrison, Clewell, Featherly and Donnolly were appointed as the committee. were appointed as the committee.

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Alderman Worth made a motion to the Alderman Worm made a notion to the effect that the council should take action in regard to establishing a fire alarm system, and that the fire committee should look in-to the matter and report. Alderman Harrison moved to amend by instructing the city clerk to advertise in some paper of general circulation among firemen to the effect that the city is willing

fremen to the effect that the city is willing to entertain bids for rutting in an electric fire alarm system. Adopted.

Mr. Kirkendall moved that the city clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for lighting the city. Adopted.

Superintendent of Sewers Miller submitted a report as to the expense of establishing a storm flushing sewer and recommended that a box flume be built for the present. This flume can be built at an estimated cost of \$1.500, and is designed to

to pay all expenses.

The city cierk was authorized to correspond with a firm in reference to purchasing a hook and laider truck.

Marshal Hard was instructed to use his judgment in allowing the toboggan slide to cross livadway. cross Broadway.

Alderman Loeb offered a resolution to the effect that the auditing committee be allowed a cierk at the rate of \$50 a month. Carried.

# FOR RICH AND POOR

Gnly Three More Days Before the Great

Drawing is Announced to Take Place A large majority of Helena people have taken advantage of the offer of the Montana Investment company to secure a chance of obtaining possession of one of the finest hotel properties in the west by the investment of five dollars in a ticket in the grand drawing for the \$300,000 Aborn House located at Des Moines, Iowa. The drawing is announced to take place Monday evening next, leaving only three days in which to secure tickets. In no other way can the expenditure of a small amount secure so large a return. The 153 cash prizes, ranging from \$5.000 down, to be drawn, give investors an additional incentive, so that if a purchaser does not receive the hotel he may receive a cash return. To accommodate those who want as many chances as possible for \$5, fifth tickets are instead salling at \$1 arch. Remember only chances as possible for \$5, fifth tickets are issued, selling at \$1 each. Remember only three days remain before the drawing is announced to occur. Five dollars spent for a ticket to-day may return \$300,000 or \$1 a fifth interest in lowa's leading hotel. The deed to the property is in escrow, to be turned over to the most fortunate man in Montana. Send \$5 or \$1 to the Montana Investment company, Helena, and take advantage of the opportunity of your life. vantage of the opportunity of your life.
Organize a club, buy a number of tickets,
and get all the chances you can in the
great drawing for the \$300,000 Aborn
House.

# Hospital Items.

James Murry, an inmate of St. Joseph's hospital, who was injured by a premature blast at Sweeney's quarry some weeks his sly efforts were fruitless. He was marsince, will lose one of his eyes. S. J. Higgins, a prominent man from Missoula, who was taken suddenly sick a few days ago, will be able to go home to-day.

# Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were filed in the recorder's office yesterday: R Lockey, trustee, et ux. to George H. Platt tal, lots 1 and 2, block 4, Basselt addition.

William B Wright et ux to 8 F. Halen et al kot adjoining south line Helena townsite. Charles D. Chambers to Valentine French, lot 16, block 77, N. P. addition...

# Job Work.

The INDEPENDENT job rooms are nov the most complete in the territory. Within the past few weeks we have received a complete line of new type, and are now prepared to do both plain and fancy work on the shortest notice.

Ice Carnival. A good opportunity is afforded every one to take in the St. Paul Ice Carnival from Jan. 23 to Feb. 1. The Northern Pacific will have round trip tickets on sale from Jan. 20 to 26 inclusive and good for ninety days. Price, 840 for the round trip.

in our leading colleges. It is not for the few, like Appleton's, the Britannica, or the International, but for all. It has just been thoroughly revised at a cost of over \$60,000, the labor of forty editors and over 2,000 renowned contributors. It is in eight convenient-sized volumes. The material used is first class. It is a necessity to the business and professional man, useful and adorning to the family library. No parent can give to his child at school or just enter-WIDEN EIGHTH AVENUE. ing the avenue of life anything that will be of more lasting benefit. It is an education supplementary to that of the schools. For particulars, address A. J. JOHNSON & Co., 11 Great Jones St., New York.

### HELENA YANKEES.

Who Was the Greatest of New England Heroe Still in Doubt.

The New Englanders met in the A. O. . W. Hall last evening. The following applicants for membership were balloted for and elected members: Mrs. Matt. W. Alderson, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Tilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Grant, John Stedman, William Dolliver and Mr. Holbrook A committee of three was appointed to

fecide upon the manner of celebrating Washington's birthday, as follows: Messrs. W. A. Chessman, J. W. Kinsley and Mrs. A recitation by Miss Jennie Tonn, "The Organ Builder," was acceptably given. The question for debate, "What son of New England has rendered the country the

greatest service." was then very ably dis-cussed. Miss Ella Knowles, in champion-ing Daniel Webster and his great achievements for the country in oratory, delivered an eloquent talk, which seemed all too brief. She was followed by J. W. Kinsley, who presented the name and fame of William Lloyd Garrison. A. Chessman gave his candidate for the honors of benefactor of his country, Benjamin Franklin. Mr. Stone and Judge Hedges also spoke in favor of Franklin. Dr. Staack thought Dr. Jackson, the discoverer of the uses of ether, entitled to a place in the galaxy of New England stars. The subject proved so interesting that the decision was taken to further discuss it

### Celebrated Cross Creek Lehigh Coal for sale by Davenport & McCabe. PIONEER DANCE.

The Second Monthly Hop of the Society Give

With a Large Attendance. was held at Assembly Hall last night with an unusually large attendance. Rossner's orchestra furnished the music, which was excellent, and those present enjoyed themselves in the good old time way. Those there were Albert Kleinschmidt, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lehman, September, October and November was adopted.

The special committee to whom was referred the petition to have Ewing street improved between Broadway and Bridge street recommended that the work be done.

Alderman Kirkendali moved to amend by advertising for the work to be done next April. The amendment was lost, the motion carried and the city clerk authorized to advertise for bids.

Ed, Zimmerman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Child, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Child, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Mrs. W. C. Child, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sweitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gans, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. James Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dow, Herman Gans, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sands, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. James Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dow, of Fort Benton. Misses Davenport, Child, Green, Briscoe

Misses Davenport, Child, Green, Briscoe, Sligh, Rumsey, King, Smith, Crounse, Brook, and Messrs. George Child, T. B. Kirkendall, Judge Bach, Ben King, Harry Childs, Charles McCreary, J. S. Keerl, H. B. Kane, James U. Sanders, A. M. Thorn-burg, Ben Loeb, A. Krigbaum, J. D. Carn-ahan, Don Davenport and others.

1888.

The dividend paying mines of Montana show up very well, bringing the record up to \$3,318,600. This excels any previous cal work. ear in the total amount of div clared. The total amount paid by mines in the United States and Mexico during the year was \$13,363,642. As will be seen, Montana properties alone have paid over a fourth of that amount, and it took only nine of the many paying mining companies of the territory to do this. The earnings of other valuable properties, could they be known, would add a vast sum to the profits present. This flume can be built at an estimated cost of \$1.500, and is designed to placed on Lawrence and Center streets. The report was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

A resolution condemning certain property on Arch avenue for the purpose of opening a street from Clore to Main street was adopted. The property holders are to pay all expenses.

Total.

# REPORTORIAL NOTES

Needed repairs are being made at the headquarters of the fire department. A marriage license was issued vesterday Bernhardt Warriken and Rosa Huver of

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in their room, Sanford & Eyans block, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 5, 1889, at 2:30 o'clock.

The commission to determine what text books shall be used in the public schools has concluded its labors, but report will not be made until the legislature sits.

Ike Morehouse, the horseman, was ar rested not long since for refusing to pay his divorced wife alimony, as decreed by the judge who granted the divorce. Mrs. Morehouse brought suit to recover, and the case was brought before Judge McConneil in chambers yesterday. The judge, after having heard the evidence adduced by both sides, took the matter under advisement.

# PERSONAL.

P. J. McGowan, one of Boulder's prom nent business men, was in the city yester-

Burkstrand, of Philadelphia, are at the Cosmopolitan.

Miss Mary B. Hill, who has been spending the holidays in Helena, has returned to her duties at the College of Montana, Deer Lodge.

# Hickson-Reynolds

Fred Hickson, the meat market man of Eikhorn, tried to "steal a march," matrimonially, in Heiena, Thursday night, but ried to Miss Hattie Reynolds at the resi dence of the bride's parents, on Park avenue, in the presence of a few invited guests. The neighbors treated the wedded pair to an old fashioned "belling." accom-panied by the usual number of skillet lids, emblematic of the time-honored serenade. Mr. and Mrs. Hickson leave to-day for their future home in Elkho n.

# School Notice.

All new pupils are requested to come today to the office of the superintendent of schools at the Central building and be assigned to their proper rooms. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and 1 to 5 p. m. tana Central has made an excursion rate to Parents wishing to confer with the superintendent with regard to their children are requested to call in the afternoon.

There will be a teachers' meeting this forenoon at 11 o'clock. All teachers are expected to be present.

E. A. CABLETON, Superintendent.

# "Tied Telegraphers."

Mr. Barney J. Hummel, a member of the elegraphic force at the Northern Pacific have, at once, a bottle of the best family depot, was married at Milwaukee, Wis., Christmas eve to Miss Mabel Hamilton, an accomplished and beautiful young lady gists. Johnson's Universal Cyclopedia, Re- telegrapher, of the Cream City. Upon vised 1888.

Is a library of useful, universal knowledge from the ablest scholars in America and Europe. It is accepted as high authority ing added to the enjoyment of ail.

A WOOD THIEF.

An Ex-Convict Accused of Having Stolen's Car

DENT recorded the robbery of a car load of wood stolen from the yard of the Northern Pacific in this city. The reputed thief was one W. G. Smith, a wood hauler. The wood claimed to have been stolen was found at or near the corner of Ewing street and Helena avenue. Smith's trial was set for Dec. 27, but was postponed from day to day, at his request, to permit him to introduce witnesses in his behalf.

The trial took place yesterday and some nteresting testimony was introduced pro and con. It seems that a firm named and con. It seems that a firm hamed Smith & York are engaged in the wood hauling business in Helena. About the 9th prox. a car load of wood, con-signed bylthe Alhambra Flume company to Greenhood, Bohm & Co., of this city, was discovered missing. From that date, until the time mentioned of the arrest, the city and county authorities were diligently looking for the man who hauled the wood away from the Northern Pacific yard. The snowy Sunday all will remember. A man employed in the yard discovered Smith taking a load from the pile which was lo-cated, trailed him up Rodney street to the nearest telephone, notified the marshal's office. Policeman Kuntz appeared and readily took charge of Smith, who willingreadily took charge of Smith, who willing-iy accompanied him to the city marshal's office, where he gave bonds for his appear-

At the trial yesterday numerous witnesses testified as to the wood belonging to the firm of Greenhood, Bohm & Co., to its having been unloaded between the hours of 3:30 p. m. Saturday, December 8, and Monday, December 10.

In rebuttal, Smith was placed upon the stand and gave straightforward evidence (so far as he was concerned), but when

(so far as he was concerned), but when subjected to cross-examination it put a somewhat different phase upon the matter. He said he had been a resident of Helena since 1883. Questioned as to whether or not he had resided elsewhere, he said he had, and in response to various interroga-tories said he had since 1883 lived at Butte, at Livingston, at Miles City, and after nu-merous further interrogatories as to where else he had been, finally confessed to havthe decision was taken to further discuss it at the next meeting, which will occur on Jan. 18.

ing served two years in the penitentiary at Deer Lodge.

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Next the partner in the firm of Smith & York was put upon the stand. Among other things he said his name was not York, but John Garrett. When queried as to why he lived under another name than that of his own, he said he was born in Yorkshire, Engiand and didn't care whether his real name were known or not, so long as he owed no man anything and had a mean's victuals ahead. had a meai's victuals ahead.

There were other witnesses, but nothing they said diverted from the fact that what Smith admitted as to having taken

they said diverted from the fact that what Smith admitted as to having taken the car of wood, No. 22,032. Mr. Balliet, the prosecuting attorney, opened the argument in an able manner, being followed by Mr. Sterling, the de-fendant's attorney. Mr. Balliet closed in a speech of some thirty minntes, and the case was given to the jury, with instructions by Judge Sanders. Shortly after 7 o'clock the jury reported they had agreed upon a verdict. It was

"not guility."

This case attracted much attention, considering the value of the property involved. The evidence as published above, taken in connection with the verdict, shows what

Notes From the College of Montana. DEER LODGE, Jan. 3 .- [Special Correpondence of the Independent.]-H. G. McMillan, of Salt Lake City, for twelve years clerk of the third district court of

blings.

The faculty, now numbering thirteen, has been reinforced by the addition of the Misses Birdsall. Miss Nettie, lately a teacher in the Chicago conservatory, takes part of the load from the shoulders of the overworked teacher in the music depart ment, while Miss Abbie, elecutionist and dramatic reader, has charge of the rhetori-

cal work.

The apparatus for heating the new dormitory, a substantial brick building of four stories, 45x80 feet, was shipped from St. Paul Dec. 12, and is expected to arrive in a few days. It will take at least a month to put in the heaters, and it will probably be six weeks before the new building will be ready for occupancy. The old dormitory is already crowded, and the work of steam-fitting will be pushed as rapidly as possible. The building was to have been ready for its fair occupants three months ago. The inefficient mail service is responsible for the delay. A letter was mailed by President McMillan in September to Kruse & Barker, of Milwaukee, who had taken the contract for steam-fitting, notifying them that their work might be commenced.

This letter was returned to the sender some two weeks ago from Missoula, where

President McMillan and family began the new year by moving into their new house, located just across the street from the western entrance to the college campus. It is a pleasant, comfortable home. The view from the president's study is exceptionally fine. From the bay window on the south the sun can be seen from his rising until he hides himself behind Mount P. well in the evening, and on fair days Powell in the evening, and on fair days the smoke of the Anaconda smelter can be distinctly seen.

The present college enrollment is 119 students.

# Sons of Veterans.

At a regular meeting of the U. S. Grant
Camp, No. 1, Sons of Veterans, beld in
their hali on Grand street, the following
officers for the ensuing year were installed
by Major J. R. Miller: Capt. E. A. Veazie. by Major J. R. Miller: Capt. E. A. Veazie, 1st Lieut. E. P. Butler, 2d Lieut. H. Som-

month. Sojourning brothers are invited to

Winter Excursions to California. On the 15th day of every month the

Northern Pacific Railroad company will throat with a razor while temporarily insell excursion tickets to San Francisco and sane. return at \$75; to Los Angeles and return syst. These tickets have an extreme limit of six months from date of issuance and can be used going any time within sixty (60) days from date of sale. Stop-overs allowed at any point desired—either going or returning—within limit of ticket. Excursionists have choice of two routes from partland by steamer or by rail via the Portland—by steamer, or by rail, via the famou- Mount Shasta route. Bear in mind that the Northern Pacific is the only line running through sleeping and dining cars to the Pacific coast.

A. L. STOKES, General Agent.

# A New Enterprise

The Montana Lumber and Manufacturing company have filed articles of incorporation with secretary Webb. The object of the company is to do a general timber business. The incorporators are A. M. Holter, W. H. Gebauer and William Thompson. The capital stock is \$200,000 and place of business Helena.

# Ice Carnival Excursion

The St. Paul Ice Palace and Carnival which will be held in January, will doubtless attract hunds do of visitors from Montana. In view of this fact the Mon-St. Paul and return of \$40 for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale January 20 to 25, inclusive, and are good for ninety days. This will not only allow Montana people to visit St. Paul during the carnival but also to extend their trip to other eastern points.

Entitled to the Best. All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleans the sys-tem when costive or bilious. For sale in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles by all leading drug-

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousyou must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thous-

upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you good digestion and oust the demon dyspepsia and install instead eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for dyspepsia and all diseases of liver, stomach and kidneys. Sold at 50c and \$1 per bottle by R. E. Hale & Co., druggist. & Co., druggist.

### THE WEATHER.

Temperature Yesterday at Helena and at

Various Other Points in the Northwest. The temperature in Helena yesterday, as shown by R. S. Hale & Co.'s Yale College observatory thermometer, was as follows: a. m., 2 degrees below zero; noon, 7 above; 6 p. m., 7 above; 10 p. m., 5 above. Dispatches to the INDEPENDENT last evening show the following conditions at the points named at 6 o'clock:
Mandan, Dak.—Partly cloudy, calm, 25

Miles City—Clear and caim, 20 above. Glendive—Clear and cold, 25 above. Billings—Clear, caim, 29 above. Livingston—Clouny and caim, 20 above. Big Timber—Clear and caim, 25 above. Bozeman-Clear and calm, 25 above. Missoula-Misty, 20 abo Missoula—Misty, 20 above. Butte—Clear and calm, 24 above. Anaconda—Mild and calm, 25 above. Gre t Falls—Clear and calm, 25 above. Fort Shaw—Clear and calm, 23 above. Fort Benton—Clear and caim, 15 above. Fort Assiniboine—Clear, calm, 3 below. Battle Creek, N. W. T—Clear and calm, Marysville-Clear and calm, 10 above,

## TERRITORIAL JOTTINGS.

Missoulian: Wm. Fitzpatrick, road-master on the Rocky Mountain division, was arrested recently, charged with sell-ing a car load of the company's coal to Mitchell & Bennett and pocketing the proceeds. He is now out on \$500 bail, pending examination next Saturday.

Miner: Manager Bennett, of the railway says his engineers and conductors are succumbing to throat and chest troubles which he does not know what to attribute to if not the dense smelter smoke they have to inhale. It keeps him on the jump all the time to find men to supply their places when they drop off.

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Missoulian: The serious illness of Angus McDonald, one of the very first pioneers of the northwest, is reported. He has been living on the reservation for a good many years and is now, we believe, sevenly-two years of age. He fell down several days ago, breaking a blood vessel, it is feared, and his death is expected. Dr. Choquette went down to see him last week and brought discouraging news from the patient's bedside.

Bozeman Chronicle: For the past month Mrs. Annie F. Foster, wife of W. T. Foster, of Middle Creek, has exhibited signs of acute mania, brought about by sickness. She was adjudged insane last week and on Wednesday taken to the territorial asylum by Sheriff Robertson and her husband. On Friday morning at half rost rates o'cleek Friday morning at half past nine o'clock she died. Her body was brought back and buried. Mrs. Foster is known to a large number of our people. She leaves a hus band and a number of small chilnren.

Miner, 4th: Edwin Workman, a young man 23 years of age, who came here from lowa, committed suicide in Anaconda last evening. For some time past he has been lying sick at Mrs. Snell's house on Geary street with an attack of measles. He told years clerk of the third district court of Utah, is visiting his brother. President D. J. McMillan.

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ger had already killed two people. NEW YORK, Jan. 4.-George Gould, president of the Missouri Pacific, when shown the statement by the Rock Island road that the Missouri Pacific was cutting rates to Colorado points, showed a telegram

Ist Lieut. E. P. Butler, 2d Lieut. H. Sommers. The following staff were appointed: Chap. J. U. Sanders, 1st Serg. J. H. Holme Q. M. Sergt. Ed. R. Smith, Color Sergt. Wm. S. Votaw, Serg. G. Geo. O. Freeman, Corporal G. U. G. Allen. Prin. Musician, Geo. Redd.

After installation a banquet was spread, which concluded by remarks from members of the G. A. R. present. The camp is in a flourishing condition. Meetings are held on the first and third Fridays of each month. Sojourning brothers are invited to

SALEM, Mass., Jan. 4 .- Rev. F. Israel pastor of the First Unitarian church, com mitted suicide this morning by cutting his sane. He has been unsettled mentally since the recent burning of the steamer Maryland on which he was a passenger, barely escaping with his life.

BOZEMAN, Jan. 4 .- [Special to the Independent.1-James Martin suicided here today by taking strychnine. Martin purchased the strychnine the day before, saying he wanted it for coyotes. He was a young man without family and the cause

### for the act is unk nown. Fought Forty-Nine Rounds.

DES MOINES, Jan. 4.-Two coal miners, named Gallagher and Clark, fought a most brutal fist duel in the presence of 500 men

# A Millionaire's Downfall.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 4.-George Baker, one of the original stockholders of the Standard Oil company, committed suicide yesterday by morphine. Not long since Baker was one of the millionaires of the town. High living was the cause of his

### Will Cross the Track. WINNIPEG, Jan. 4 .- Before the committee of the privy council to-day at Ottawa permission was granted the Manitoba gov

Pacific under certain restrictions. No fur-ther obstacles will be interposed by the Canadian Pacific. CHICAGO, Jan. 4 .- A letter signed "Chicago White Caps" has been sent to all the aldermen who voted recently in favor of

ernment to cross the track of the Canadian

ing because they find it not. Thousands | Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### THE YELLOWSTONE PARK.

endent Waters' Plans For Improving the National Pleasure Ground.

Washington special: E. C. Waters, su perintendent of the Yellowstone Park notel, is in the city, located at the Ebbitt. He has been here some days, laying before the interior department his plans for improvements to be made in the park hotels and other accommodations for tourists for the coming season. Mr. Waters says the Yellowstone Park association expects to provide in time for all travel that can come into the park, but that the public must be patient until proper accommodations can be secured. The tide has become so can be secured. The tide has become so great that the association has been unable to cope with it, but after this year will be fully prepared. While here Mr. Waters will arrange to secure to the association certain transfers of leases which were necssary before the improvements could be nade. Secretary Vilas is anxious to have

made. Secretary Vilas is anxious to have these leases settled in some way, and in his last report says: "There appears to be necessity for a careful consideration of the hotel facilities requisite to the park, and the best means and terms upon which they can be provided. Some hotels are there now which were constructed under authority of the department, but don't appear to have built upon the premises designated nor in compiliance with premises designated nor in compliance with the regulations. Application has been made to me for change of leases and consent to transfer leases, which have been denied becaus it appears wise that befor any further private rights were given foot hold on this national pleasure ground a comprehensive and judicious survey of all interests involved should be made upon the spot, and such arrangements devised as will tend more thoroughly to the suitable accommodation of visitors and the promotion of the best interests of the government and the public."

HELENA IN BRIEF. G. W. Jackson, music dealer. James W. Barker, merchant tailor. Go east via the Montana Central and Manitoba railways, the new sleeping and dining car route to St. Paul and the east. Through trains leave Helena daily at 11:35

James M. Barker has moved his tailoring establishment to No. 15 North Main street, the building lately occupied by the Montana Railroad company, and will be glad to have all of his patrons call on him there. "It's only a question of time," and a short time, too, as to when your rheuma-tism will yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Don't expect to expectorate without an expectorant. Curo for cough is the best one. It cures all throat troubles. All druggists sell it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

# MIGNON—REYNOLDS—At the residence of the bride's mother, Helena, on the everying of Jan. 3, by Rev. Dr. Rasiejh, Frederic D. Higson, of Eikhorn, to Miss Hattle I. Reynolds. MILLINERY At Cost No. 12 Warren St.

A Grand Prize Distribution Embracing Nearly a Third of a Million of Dollars in Value to Take Place Publicly at

Ming's Opera House, Helena, Mont., Jan. 7, 1889

For \$5

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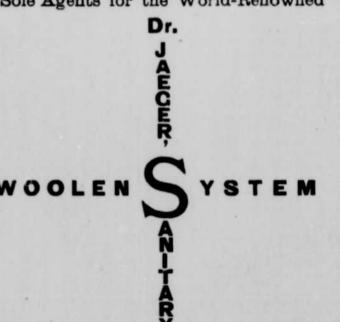
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